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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: STAKUTIS, et al. ) Examiner: Thuy N. Pardo  
Serial No.: 09/687,668 )  
Filed: October 13, 2000 ) Art Unit: 2165  
For: LOW OVERHEAD METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR )  
SHARED ACCESS STORAGE DEVICES )

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with Rule 136, Applicant for the above-identified application respectfully petitions the Commissioner for an extension of time extending the period of response as follows:

EXTENSION FROM: October 8, 2004 TO: January 10, 2005, being the first business day following January 8, 2005

	SMALL ENTITY FEE	LARGE ENTITY FEE
One (1) Month Extension:	<input type="checkbox"/> \$ 60	<input type="checkbox"/> \$120
Two (2) Month Extension:	<input type="checkbox"/> \$225	<input type="checkbox"/> \$450
Three (3) Month Extension:	<input type="checkbox"/> \$510	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> \$1020
Four (4) Month Extension:	<input type="checkbox"/> \$795	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1590
Five (5) Month Extension:	<input type="checkbox"/> \$1080	<input type="checkbox"/> \$2160

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to cover the extension of time. Attached is the responsive paper. If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from becoming abandoned, or for any other reason an insufficient fee has been paid, please charge any insufficiency to Deposit Account No. 09-0466. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the fee associated with this communication in the amount of \$ 1020 and credit any overpayment or charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 09-0466. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: January 10, 2005

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<b>for FY 2004</b>		Filing Date	October 13, 2000
		Inventor	C. J. Stakutis et al.
		Group Art Unit	2165
		Examiner Name	Thuy N. Pardo
Total Amount of Payment: <b>\$2,010.00</b>	Attorney Docket Number	SJO920000156US1	

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